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ATTN: Fire Management Officers

From: Director, Office of Fire and Aviation (OF&A)

Subject: Interagency Fire & Aviation Management Information Systems Workshop

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An Interagency Fire and Aviation Management Information Systems Workshop will be held December 3-5, 2002 in Las Vegas, Nevada. The workshop is sponsored by the U.S. Forest Service with participants and presenters from all fire management agencies. The goal of the workshop is to provide a forum for improved discussion and coordination between Information Technology personnel and partners in support of the Fire and Aviation mission. A draft agenda is attached for your information.

The workshop will be held at the New York, New York Hotel and Casino. A block of rooms has been reserved for attendees, with a room rate of \$60 per night. This block of rooms will be held until November 2, 2002. Reservations made after the cutoff date will be confirmed on a space-available basis at the prevailing rate.

If you wish to attend this workshop, please make arrangements directly with the hotel by calling the group reservations department at 1-800-852-5683. Use the group code *R12USFS*.

Attendees are requested to pre-register for the workshop at:  
<http://famweb.nwcg.gov/pls/workshop>. The information obtained from this registration will be used to determine numbers attending the workshops, for breakout groups, etc.

Please contact Greg Jensen at (208) 387-5438 with questions concerning this workshop.

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1 Attachment  
Draft Agenda (4 pp)

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